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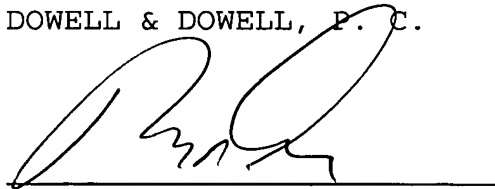
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	AB	3	6	1	0	4	3	4	10/5/91	Herbert			
	AC	2	4	6	8	6	6	9	4/26/49	Holmes			
	AD	2	6	6	5	1	2	8	1/5/54	Guffey			
	AE	2	1	0	7	3	1	2	2/8/38	Thompson			
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